

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
\_\_\_\_\_ DIVISION

THIRD-YEAR PRACTICE OATH

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I  
will demean myself as a

THIRD-YEAR LAW STUDENT, PERMITTED TO APPEAR IN THIS COURT  
PURSUANT TO THE RULES OF THIS COURT,

uprightly and according to law; that I have and will continue to comply with the provisions of said  
Rule; and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, so help me God.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City)

Sworn and subscribed before me this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

Admitted on motion of: \_\_\_\_\_

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APPLICATION TO QUALIFY AS A THIRD YEAR LAW STUDENT PERMITTED TO  
APPEAR IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT  
OF VIRGINIA PURSUANT TO RULE 7(L), LOCAL RULES OF PRACTICE

To: Honorable  
United States District Judge

PERSONAL STATEMENT

My full name is \_\_\_\_\_

My residence address is \_\_\_\_\_

I was born at \_\_\_\_\_

My father's name is (was) \_\_\_\_\_

My mother's name is (was) \_\_\_\_\_

I am duly enrolled in a law school approved by the American Bar Association or Virginia Board of Bar  
Examiners. The School in which I am enrolled is:

\_\_\_\_\_

I have completed legal studies amounting to at least four (4) semesters.

I understand that I am neither to ask for nor receive any compensation or remuneration of any  
kind for my services from the person on whose behalf I render services.

I hereby certify that I have read and am familiar with the Virginia Code of Professional  
Responsibility.

I do certify that I have read or reread within ninety days prior to the submission of this  
application (a) the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, (b) The Federal Rules of Criminal  
Procedure, (c) The Local Rules of this Court, and (d) The Federal Rules of Evidence.

The member of the bar under whose supervision I shall perform any of the things permitted by  
Rule 7(L) is: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary Public)

.....  
I CERTIFY that the above applicant is currently enrolled in \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, a law school initially approved by the American Bar Association on  
\_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, which approval is current; and

That the above applicant has completed the equivalent of four semesters of law studies, is of good  
character, has competent legal ability, and has been trained to perform as a legal intern.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dean,

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Law School)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(College or University)

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I, the undersigned, do certify that I am a member of the bar of this Court, and hereby assume  
professional responsibility for the applicant's guidance in any work undertaken and for supervising the  
quality of the applicant's work.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Supervising Attorney)